## **Appendix**

Table 7: List of excluded instruments.

Instrument
3 Activities of Daily Living [1]
3D motion analysis [2]
6 activities of Daily Living [3]
Ability to hold 1 kg [4]
Action Imitation Test [5]
Activities of Daily Living Index [6]
Activity Scale for Kids [7]
ADL Questionnaire [8]
ADL task performance [9]
Arm function Questionnaire [10]
Arm Function Test [11]
Australian therapy Outcome Measure for Occupational Therapy [12]
Barthel Index [13]
Bean spooning test [5]
Box and Block Test [14]
Bruininks-Oseretsky Test of Motor Proficiency [15]
Burke-Fahn-Marsden Scale [16]
California Functional Evaluation 40 [17]
Caregivers Functional Use Survey [18]
Chart review [19]
Child/Toddler Arm Use Test [20]
Daily Finger Feeding Task [21]
Dexterity Questionnaire for ADL [5]
Direct observation of ADL [22]
Disabilities of Arm Shoulder and Hand [23]
Disability Assessment Scale [24]
Drinking from a glass test [25]
Edinburg Handedness Inventory [26]
Emergency Behavior scale [20]
Emory Functon Test [27]
Erhardst Development Prehension assessment [14]
Fine motor speed [28]
Fitt's Tapping task [29]
fMRI [30]
Forward reaching distance [31]
Frenchay Activities Index [32]
Function evaluation score [25]

Function Test [33]
Functional Ability Scale [34]
Functional Activities [35]
Functional grips [36]
Functional Independence Measure [37]
Functional Independence Measure for Children [38]
Functional limitation profile [39]
Functional Tasks [25]
Grasp & displace cilinders test [40]
Grasp and lift a 600 gr weight [1]
Hand Function Test [41]
Haptic Rehabilitation Exercises Performance Evaluation [42]
House Classification [43]
In Hand Manipulation Test [44]
Index of Extended Activities of Daily Living [45]
Interview about ADL activities [22]
Inventory of New Motor Activities and Programs [46]
Jacket Test [47]
Katz Adjustement Index [45]
Katz Index [48]
Key Turning Task [49]
Keyboard abilities [50]
Kinematics [51]
Klein Bell Activities of Daily Living Scale [52]
Knox Parent Questionnaire [53]
Kocaeli Functional Evaluation Test [54]
Lawton Instrumental Activities of Daily Living [55]
Level of assisted required on 5 self-selected ADL tasks [9]
Lindmark Motor Assessment Scale [56]
Line tracing task [57]
Manual Ability Classification System [58]
Maximum Grip Force (on key) [49]
Meal preparation test [27]
Measurements of Activities of Daily Living [59]
Minnesota Handwriting Assessment [15]
Minnesota rate of manipulation test [25]
Motor Activity Log Actual Quality of Use [60]
Motor Activity Log grade 5 (low functioning patients) [61]
Motor Acvtivity Log Observation [62]
Motor Assessment Scale [63]
Motor Club Assessment [64]
Motor speed in grasping tasks (dexterous manipulation) [65]
Motor speed in grasping tasks (dexterous manipulation) [65]

Motor training task [9]
Motricity Index [66]
Movement assessment battery for children [67]
Movement speed task [25]
Mowery Classification [43]
Nine hole Peg test [66]
Northwick park dependency score [68]
Nottingham Extended Activities of Daily Living [69]
Nottingham health profile (part 1) [70]
Nottingham Leisure Questionnaire [45]
Nottinhham Stroke Dressing Assessment [71]
Nuts and Bolts Test [29]
Observation reach [72]
Ontario society of occupational therapists test [25]
Passive Function Task [73]
Patient Specific Function Scale [74]
Peabody Developmental Motor Scale [75]
Pediatric Arm Function Test [46]
Pediatric Evaluation of Disability Inventory [76]
Pediatric Outcome Data Collection Instrument [77]
Pediatric Quality of Life Inventory for children with Cerebral Palsy [78]
Pegboard Test [79]
Pendulum Test [80]
Pennie Test [22]
Perceived problems [10]
Performance Assessment of Self-care Skills [81]
Performance of 21 ADL skills (videotaped) [82]
Performance Quality Rating Scale [83]
Pig Tail Test [84]
Prehension Task [85]
Problem Score [86]
Purdue peg test [87]
Reaching Performance Scale [88]
Reaching Test [89]
Rehabilitatio Activities Profile [90]
Rehabilitation Engineering Laboratory Hand Function Test [91]
Rehabilitation Institute of Chigaco's Functional Assessment Scale [72]
Rivermead Activities of Daily Living Scale [92]
Rivermead Motor Assessment [93]
Rotation task [94]
Self Report Change [95]
Sensorimotor integration test battery [27]

Shift task [94] Sickness Impact Profile 68 [96] Simple Test for Evaluation Hand Function [97] Sodring Motor Evaluation of Stroke patients [98] Sollerman Hand Function Test [99] Southern California Motor Accuracy Test [100] Stacking blocks test [22] Stacking cubes test [101] Strathclyde Upper Limb Activity Monitor [102] Stroke Adapted Sickness Impact Profile 30 [103] Stroke Impact Scale [104] Stroke Rehabilitation Assessment of Movement [105] Stroke Upper Limb Activity Monitor [106] Structures Assessment of Independent Living Skills [107] Subjective comment [27] Systematic Test for Assessing Reaching Times [108] Task Performance test [109] Ten hole Peg test [110] Test Task [111] The active lifestyle: efficacy expectancies Scale [45] The Neurological Rehabilitation Score [112] The Older American Resources and Services Scale: Activities of daily living [45] Time to ADL Milestone [27] Timed Task with Shoelace [29] Transfer of coins [113] Trowing coin in slot [114] Two-hand functions [36] University of Maryland Arm Questionnaire for Stroke [115] Upper Extremity Function ADL Category [116] Upper extremity functional index [25] Upper Limb (Basic) Functional Activity Questionnaire [66] Upper limb disability score [113] Upper Limb Physicians Rating Scale [117] Video-observation [43] Vineland Adaptrive Behavior Scale [58] Visual Analogue Scale for ADL [24] Williams Doors [118]

Table 8: Excluded instruments which fulfil the inclusion criteria, but were excluded based on exclusion criteria 3 (instrument is not uniquely used to asses AHSP).

Measurement			# Items upper	ICF level(s) of the upper limb items			Tasks i	ncluded	Activit	ties of daily		Upper li	mb use	Reference		
instrument			limb/total						living included							
	Stroke	CP		Func-	Acti-	Partici-	Uni-	Bi-	Basic	Extended	AOU	QOU	Other descrip-	Vali-	Relia	Respon
				tion	vity	pation	manual	manual					tion of use <sup>‡</sup>	dity	-bility	siveness
Capacity																
Instruments con	ntaining on	e or mo	re subscale(s) with	h only item	s about th	ne upper ex	ktremity									
	Instrume	ents incl	uding only items a	nt ICF activ	ity level											
KB-ADL [52]	<b>√</b>		37/42		<b>√</b>		V	V	V	√			V	[52]	[52]	
	Instrume	ents con	nbining items at 10	CF activity	level with	items at IC	CF function le	evel								
RMA [93]	<b>V</b>		18/38	√	<b>V</b>		√	V		V			V	[119]	[119]	[119]
SMES [98]	<b>√</b>		15/32	√	V		√	V	V			V		[120]	[121]	
Instruments con	ntaining pa	rtly item	s about the upper	extremity,	but with o	only one to	tal score, wit	hout a subsc	ale for the	e upper extrer	nity					
	Instruments including only items at ICF activity level															
ADL Index [6]	<b>V</b>		10/17		V		V	V	V	V			V	[6]	[6]	
Katz index	<b>V</b>		4/6		V			V	<b>√</b>				V	[122]	[48]	
ADL [48]																
PASS [81]	<b>√</b>		18/26		V		√	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	√			V	[81]	[81]	
RADLS [92]	<b>√</b>		27/31		<b>V</b>		<b>V</b>	V	V	√			<b>V</b>	[92]	[92]	
	Instrume	ents con	l nbining items at 10	L CF activity	level with	items at IC	L CF function le	evel			]					
MAS [63]	V		3/9	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>		<b>√</b>	√	<b>1</b> √	<b>√</b>			√	[123]	[63]	[124]

ISDA [71]	V	Male:10/15	V	<b>V</b>			V	<b>V</b>			V	[71]	[71]	
		Female: 13/18												
Perceived Perfor	mance				Į.									
Instruments cor	ntaining one or mo	re subscale(s) wi	th items only	y about th	e upper e	xtremity								
	Instruments including only items at ICF activity level													
FIM [37]	<b>√</b>	6/18		V		V	<b>V</b>	√			<b>√</b>	[125]	[125]	[125
WeeFIM [38]	√	6/18		V		<b>V</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>			V	[126]	[126]	[127
	Instruments cor	l mbining items at l	I ICF activity	level with	items at I	 CF function le	evel and/or p	l participation	level					
AusTOMs-OT	<b>√</b>	5/12	√	<b>√</b>	<b>V</b>	V	<b>√</b>	<b> </b>	<b>√</b>		<b>√</b>	[128]	[12]	[12]
[12]														
FAI [32]	<b>√</b>	13/15		V	V		<b>V</b>		V	<b>√</b>		[129]	[130]	[129
NEADL [69]	<b>√</b>	17/22		V	V		<b>V</b>	1	V		$\sqrt{}$	[129]	[69]	[129
Peds-QL-	√	16/35	<b>√</b>	<b>V</b>		V	<b>V</b>	1	<b>V</b>		V	[78]	[78]	[78]
CP[78]														
SA-SIP 30	√	7/30	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>		√	<b>√</b>	1	<b>√</b>		V	[103]	[103]	
[103]														
SIS [104]	√	19/65	√	V	V	V	V	√	V		$\sqrt{}$	[104]	[104]	[104
Instruments cor	l ntaining partly item	s about the uppe	r extremity,	but with c	nly one to	tal score, wit	hout a subs	cale for the	upper extre	 mity				
	Instruments incl	luding only items	at ICF activ	ity level										
BI [13]	<b>√</b>	5/10		V			<b>V</b>	<b>√</b>			√	[13]	[13]	[13]
	Instruments cor	l mbining items at  I	I ICF activity	level with	items at I	L CF function le	evel and/or p	 participation	level	1				
RAP [90]	<b>√</b>	8/21		<b>√</b>	<b>V</b>		<b>√</b>	V	<b>√</b>		V	[131]	[132]	[133

‡ = This subcategory covers answers like "can be performed (yes/no)" or "independent performance (yes/no/partly)"; or descriptive answers like "How much effort does it take to perform the task?".

CP = cerebral palsy; AOU = Amount of use; QOU = Quality of Use.

ADL Index = Activities of Daily Living Index; AusTOMs-OT = Australian therapy Outcome Measure for Occupational Therapy; BI = Barthel Index; FAI = Frenchay

Activities Index; FIM = Functional Independence Measure; Katz Index ADL = Katz index of Independence in Activities of Daily Living; KB-ADL = Klein Bell Activities of

Daily Living Scale; MAS = Motor Assessment Scale; NEADL = Nottingham Extended Activities of Daily Living; NSDA = Nottingham Stroke Dressing Assessment; PASS

= Performance Assessment of Self-care Skills; PedsQL-CP = Pediatric Quality of Life Inventory for children with Cerebral Palsy; RADLS = Rivermead Activities of Daily

Living Scale; RAP = Rehabilitation Activities Profile; RMA = Rivermead Motor Assessment; SA-SIP 30 = Stroke Adapted Sickness Impact Profile 30; SIS = Stroke Impact

Scale; SMES = Sodring Motor Evaluation of Stroke patients; WeeFIM = Functional Independence Measure for Children.

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